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Application Number	10/767,016
Filing Date	January 29, 2004
First Named Inventor	Foore et al.
Art Unit	2617
Examiner Name	Afsar M. Qureshi
Attorney Docket Number	TAN-2-1400.06.US

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